



Practitioner's Docket No. 15503

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:  
Application No. 10/785,506  
Examiner: Beach, Thomas A

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Art Unit: 3671

For: BUCKET AND RIGGING ASSEMBLY FOR AN EXCAVATING BUCKET

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**AMENDMENT A**

In response to the Office Action dated July 19, 2005,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows.  
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims  
that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.